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Cookeville Company Receives Workplace Safety Award Fleetguard Inc. Achieves Commissioner's Award of Excellence

NASHVILLE – Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development Commissioner James Neeley presented Fleetguard Inc. the **Commissioner's Award of Excellence for Workplace Safety and Health** today at the manufacturing facility in Cookeville. The award is given to Tennessee employers whose employees work a certain number of hours without having an injury resulting in days away from work. The number of hours required is based on the size of the company.

"This award represents an enormous accomplishment in workplace safety for Fleetguard Inc.," said Neeley. "Both employees and management at this facility have shown careful attention to safety and health concerns. They should be proud of their accomplishments as the award requirements are very challenging."

The more than 900 employees of Fleetguard Inc. have worked more than one million man hours without a lost time injury. "Fleetguard is totally committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for the well-being of all of our employees around the world," said Jacqueline Clougherty, Global Communications Fleetguard Inc.

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"This award bestowed on Fleetguard from the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development underscores our serious commitment to a safe and secure workplace," Clougherty continued. "Every employee in our Cookeville facility worked hard to achieve this milestone. We are very proud of this significant achievement by our employees."

Fleetguard Inc. is a wholly owned business unit of Cummins Inc. and the world's leading designer and manufacturer of heavy-duty air, fuel, hydraulic and lube filtration, chemicals and exhaust system technology products for diesel-powered equipment.

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